

SIERRA MADRE

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SIERRA MADRE NEWS

High on the Foothills of Mt. Wilson; Site of Sierra Madre Arboretum

SIERRA MADRE
The Wistaria Town, namesake of the "Mother Mountains" that brood above her; beautiful for fragrant orchards, wide vistas and sheltering oaks; satisfying for city comforts, country quietness and friendly, welcoming hands.

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Christmas Is Observed At All Churches

Real Significance of Day Not Lost Sight of in Sierra Madre

Midnight Services Arranged At Two Churches; to Sing Carols

The significance of Christmas is not being overlooked by Sierra Madre residents, as is manifested by the midnight services and celebrations of the birth of Christ, in the many churches.

Among the most impressive of the services will be those held Christmas Eve in the Church of the Ascension. The evening's celebrations will open with the Nativity Pageant at 7 o'clock, to be followed by the tour of the Christmas Carolers, young folks of the church who will visit the invalids and shut-ins of the town.

At 11:30 the first Christmas Vespers will be held, and at 12 o'clock the midnight mass will be read. On Christmas day the Ghoral Eucharist will be held at 7:30 a. m. and the low celebration and sermon at 11 a. m. The Eucharist at 9:30 will be especially for the children. The 7:30 service will be one of evensong and carols, it has been announced by the pastor, the Rev. Henry B. Moore.

Midnight mass will be a service of beauty at St. Rita's church, and will be followed on Christmas Day by the usual services, with special music at the morning masses.

The Congregational Church, which is having but one service on Christmas Day, that at 10:00 o'clock, will send out carollers on Christmas Eve. The Sunday service will combine all the church departments, and special music will be featured. There will be songs by the adult choir, the primary choir and the junior choir, orchestra numbers and the Christmas story told by Dennis Stovall, as well as the sermon by the pastor.

At Bethany Temple regular Sunday School assembly at 9:30 will be followed by a program presented at 10:30 by the primary, beginners and cradle roll departments. The bearing of white gifts by the children will be a feature of this program. In the evening at 7:30 there will be a cantata, and the sermon by the Rev. William Duncan Ogg, on "Adoration."

Eastern Star Has Christmas Affair Preceding Meeting

Well-filled stockings were a feature of the Eastern Star Christmas party, given before the regular session of the chapter Monday evening for the children of members. A large number of the kiddies were present to enjoy the beautifully decorated and illuminated tree, as well as the candy and gifts. Each member had provided a gift for the child sponsored by him.

The program, arranged by Miss Eleanor Bayne, worthy matron, included a violin solo by Ruth Wheeling, a piano solo by Wilma Morrow and a violin solo by Hugh Evans.

Chanukah Concert To be Given Soon By Hebrew Society

Members of the Hebrew Social Club have arranged an unusual entertainment for Sunday afternoon, December 25, the Grand Chanukah concert, and have rented the Masonic Temple for the event. The concert is open to the entire community.

Humphries Joins Board of Realtors

W. R. Humphries, local real estate dealer, has been admitted to membership in the Pasadena Realty Board, action having been taken on his application at the meeting Tuesday night at Hotel Maryland. The Pasadena club is a member of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, and the association is very particular about the use of the name "realtor" as applied to real estate dealers. According to recent legal decisions only members of the association may use the name "realtor" as applied to their profession.

CITY TO PROTECT BIRDS FROM SHOTS OF SMALL YOUTHS

Birds and elderly gentlemen will be safe in Sierra Madre, providing the city council action has any effect, the birds because of an ordinance prohibiting the use of air guns, and the elderly gentlemen because of the ordinance making it illegal to use a sling shot.

No longer will young Sierra Madre legally stand behind a tree and watch from this vantage point until the pompous, silk-hatted gentleman from next door passes within easy shot of the little forked stick with its rubber attachment.

The city attorney was instructed to prepare such an ordinance and present it to the members of the council for action at the next meeting. A complaint from Sierra Madre Canyon, where a number of birds have been killed recently by small boys, was the cause of the movement.

Radio Singer Accompanies Club Workers

KHJ "June Bug" Offers Services to Woman's Club Committee

"The Little June Bug" of radio station KHJ, Marjorie Genevieve Lowe, delighted veterans at Sawtelle Thursday afternoon when she entertained them with several numbers, forming a part of the program presented by the Woman's Club of Sierra Madre. Little Miss Lowe read of the proposed visit of the club women, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Laura Cline and Mrs. Leighton, and offered her services to the committee.

Not only was the small entertainer generous with her art, but people of the community were more than generous with their offerings of candy, cakes, fruit and money for cigarettes, so that when Mrs. Cline left her home yesterday morning, bound for Sawtelle, she carried with her packages of sweets for more than 100 men.

The committee first picked up Frank Barbour, local ex-service man at the hospital, and took him to their own ward, 9, where they also entertained the inmates of the blind ward. Punch was served at the conclusion of the program.

This is the second visit to be made to the hospital by the club women during the holiday season, the first trip having been made shortly before Thanksgiving, at which time fruit and candy were distributed.

Mrs. Cline and Mrs. Leighton wish to thank the many people who contributed to the success of the entertainment and treat. The two women were accompanied by Miss Clara Sykes and Mrs. Dickinson.

Church to Join In Single Service on Christmas Morn

One service on Christmas Day has been planned by the Congregational Church, and the hour has been set for 10 o'clock, so that the service may be well over in time for the many dinners arranged for that day. The program, which will be participated in by all church departments, is as follows:

Orchestra; hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing;" prayer and Lord's Prayer; Carol, the Primary Department; Scripture reading; Carol, "Beautiful Star;" Junior Choir; Story, "A Christmas Tale;" Dennis H. Stovall; Church Choir, "The New-born King;" Harker; Announcements; Offertory; orchestra; hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem;" sermon, "His Name, Immanuel," Rev. A. O. Pritchard; hymn, "Joy to the World." Benediction.

Leaves to Visit Brother in Ariz.

Mrs. M. D. Welsher is leaving today for Kingman, Arizona, to visit her brother and his family. She will be joined Saturday by Mr. Welsher and they will remain over Christmas. This will be the first time Mrs. Welsher and her brother have had Christmas dinner together in eighteen years.

City Refuses To Pay Bill For Damage

Sierra Madre Not Liable for Injuries to Auto on City Street

Montecito Court Paving Is Taken Up at Meeting of Council

That the city is not liable for damage caused to the automobile owned by W. L. Hess, 465 East Highland Avenue, is the assumption of the city councilmen, who directed City Clerk Louis Dietz to write Mr. Hess' attorneys to that effect.

Several months ago the crankcase of Mr. Hess' automobile was damaged by striking a rock jutting up in one of the city streets, and a statement for \$33.60 was sent to the city council by his attorneys. The trustees have been advised by the city attorney that there is no legal liability on the part of the city requiring payment of the bill rendered.

At the meeting Tuesday night, a further discussion in regard to the opening of a rest home by H. W. Kellogg on his property at 225 North Lima Street, resulted in instructions to Chief of Police Keegan to investigate and report on the project.

The improvement of Montecito Court, which was petitioned at a recent meeting of the council, was reported upon by City Engineer Gierlich, who stated that the total frontage of the work petitioned for is 1742.08 feet and that the petition included eighty per cent of the total property involved.

An ordinance to name the court or alley deeded by A. N. Adams and wife, now called Montecito Court by usage, and a deed from William McCarron to widen the western end of Montecito Avenue will be necessary before the improvements may be made. Mr. Gierlich advised that the preliminary steps be taken. The report was accepted and acting upon such advice, it was ordered that the work of securing deeds and selecting a name for the street be undertaken.

Orphans Present At Party Planned By Local Matrons

The Christmas spirit is abroad in Sierra Madre, as the little family at the Children's Home on North Baldwin discovered Tuesday afternoon. They were entertained at "Twin Palms," on Marioposa Avenue, by Mrs. Bertha B. Miller and Mrs. Harold D. Carew, with a wiener roast in the outdoor fireplace, circle games, and a Christmas tree, bearing fruit for all.

Although the occasion was sponsored by Mrs. Carew and Mrs. Miller, it was shared by many friends and neighbors, who contributed funds, gifts and goodwill without measure. Many local merchants contributed generously with pretty and useful articles from their stock and many friends helped to fill the little tree full to overflowing.

One especially acceptable gift was a large, fat, dressed chicken, from a neighbor who wished to see others happy, though bearing a heavy burden herself. It turned out to be the first chicken these children have had for a year! Surely Sierra Madre will see that they do not wait so long for the next one!

The Rev. Arthur Pritchard led in a short Christmas service for the children, and handed the gifts from the tree to the little recipients.

Children, teachers and sponsors, wish to extend heartfelt thanks to all who helped make this occasion so pleasant, and contributed so generously to the children's welfare.

Primary and Beginners Departments of the Congregational Church will be entertained Wednesday afternoon, December 28, at the church, at 2:30, it was learned today. Mrs. Rudolph Hartman is teacher of the Primary class and Marguerite and Josephine Lalone are teachers of the Beginners.

Mrs. W. E. Pratt, who is well known professionally as Loretta Hicks Pratt, read a charming one-act play at the First Methodist Church in Long Beach Sunday evening. She will repeat the play next Sunday morning at Grace Methodist Church of that city.

Scores Pay Last Tribute to Capt. Osgood Thursday

Scores of friends gathered at the Grant Funeral chapel Thursday morning to pay last tribute to Captain Josiah Osgood, while many who were unable to attend the funeral services sent floral messages of sympathy to the grieving family.

Captain Osgood, who was one of the pioneers of this section, passed away peacefully Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, the grief of the community being a trifle lightened by the calmness of his last sleep.

Services at the undertaking chapel were conducted by the local Masonic Temple, with the Rev. A. O. Pritchard officiating. Mrs. Howard Lieben sang two of the captain's favorite hymns, "Lead Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. George Morgridge. Services at the cemetery were conducted by Stanton Post 55, G.A.R.

Kiwanis Club Names Ten As Directors

Ballots Cast at Tuesday's Luncheon; Finlayson Speaker

Election of a new board of directors for the Sierra Madre Kiwanis Club was effected at the Tuesday luncheon meeting of the club. As a result of the ballots which were collected at that time the following were declared elected to the directorate for the year 1928: Ray Grant, Tom Tyler, Jack Hosford, G. I. Farman, Chas. B. Klunk, Walter Poehler, Frank A. Spencer, George Morgridge, R. C. Copenhagen, Waverly E. Pratt and T. M. Webster. The new directors will meet soon and choose the president and other officers.

Robert M. Finlayson, Sierra Madre architect and a member of the Monrovia Rotary Club, was the speaker for the day in the absence of Dr. Ernest Bashor, who was to have addressed the club. Serving with the Canadian Expeditionary forces, Mr. Finlayson was able to relate from personal experiences many things to illustrate the sacrifices and terrible hardships encountered by the men in the thick of the fray. He drew very forceful lessons concerning the inexcusable waste and futility of warfare.

Cordial invitation to Sierra Madre Kiwanians to attend the Thursday luncheons of the Pasadena club in the Masonic Temple on South Euclid Avenue were voiced by George Weatherby of Pasadena. Other guests were Fred Hooker Jones and R. B. Hosford of Sierra Madre.

The usual splendid lunch was served by the Woman's Club committee. The luncheons have invariably elicited favorable comment from Kiwanis members from other clubs as well as from the home members.

Hospital Kiddies Receive Offerings From Local Girls

Dozens of small children in the hospitals of Los Angeles were made happy Thursday by the Camp Fire Girls of the district, who distributed stockings, filled with candy, fruit, nuts and toys.

The local organization had a hand in the gift, although none was able to make the trip to Los Angeles to help distribute the stockings, filled here. Monday afternoon the girls met at the home of Miss Clara Sykes, guardian, and completed the filling of fifteen stockings, which were sent in to the hospitals Thursday morning.

Free Clinic To Be Held Wednesday

Dr. Harold Elk, chiropractor, will hold a free clinic for children at his office at 49 South Baldwin on December 28 and 29. Only a limited number can be handled and it will be necessary to telephone for appointments.

This is probably the first time such a clinic has been held in this vicinity and the success of the clinic will rest with parents of children not enjoying the best of health. Every child has a right to a healthy body, states Dr. Elk, and no more appropriate gift can be found for the child than an opportunity to develop a good healthy body.

Penny Boxes Fail to Get Needed Coins

Shoppers Ignore Plea for Pennies to Supply Vets' Holiday

Plan Has Been Successful in Sierra Madre in Past Years

Ten members of the American Legion Auxiliary filled 200 stockings for the municipal Christmas tree and made 20 wreaths for the hospital at San Fernando Monday afternoon, when they met at the home of Mrs. Harvey Steinberger.

The wreaths were delivered on Tuesday by Mrs. Blanche Muskrath, who is head of the department for work with disabled veterans and nurses. The stockings will be distributed Saturday evening at the municipal Christmas tree, by Santa Claus, who arrives promptly at 7 o'clock.

Women who worked Monday afternoon at the Steinberger home were Mrs. M. D. Welsher and her house guest, Mrs. Norman, from New York, Mrs. Ralph Stewart, Mrs. H. C. Reavis, Mrs. George Hapgood, Mrs. C. F. Ishoy, Mrs. Hortense Hill, Mrs. Blanche Muskrath. They were assisted by L. E. Steinberger, Sr., who made most of the wreaths.

The red penny boxes, which are making mute appeal to the shoppers of Sierra Madre on behalf of the disabled veterans in this community and their families, have not been filled. Mrs. Ralph Stewart, president of the Auxiliary, states that the response so far has been small, greatly to the surprise of the Auxiliary ladies.

For the past four years the Auxiliary has posted the boxes in the various stores and has received quite a sum of money for the work among the needy buddies and their families. The boxes will remain in the stores until late Christmas Eve and it is hoped that a more generous response will be received today and Saturday.

Recover Auto Taken From Local Owner

A sedan belonging to H. K. Tuerck, 126 North Sunnyside is again safe in the garage at his home, after having been stolen from an uptown street in Los Angeles last Sunday night and used by the thief in a hold-up job, if police suspicions are correct.

The machine was stolen about 8 o'clock Sunday evening, according to Mr. and Mrs. Tuerck, and was recovered by Los Angeles police Tuesday afternoon, through information received from a service station operator. Nothing was missing from the automobile but the motor had been damaged so that it was necessary to tow it to a garage for repairs before it could be returned to Sierra Madre.

Los Angeles police believe that the machine was used in a series of hold-ups which were reported in the city Monday and Tuesday, the license number having been checked by the department.

Plans for the New Year dance, which will be given by the American Legion Post in the Woman's club house New Year's Eve, and the packing of Christmas boxes took up a large part of the time at the regular meeting of the Legion and Auxiliary last night. Past Commander F. C. McMillen and Sergeant-at-Arms Irwin Enger of Lamanda Park post were present, and stayed for the Dutch supper served by Bob Steinberger and R. R. Moreland.

C. M. Tarr, father of N. W. Tarr, 274 West Montecito Avenue, was laid to rest in Forest Lawn Cemetery Monday, the body having been brought from New Auburn, Wis., so that his six sons, all of whom live in the vicinity of Los Angeles, might attend the funeral services. Mr. Tarr, who was 80 years old, died Monday, December 12, at his home in New Auburn, death coming suddenly.

There will be no issue of the Sierra Madre Press next Tuesday. Most of the mechanical and other work on the Tuesday Press is ordinarily done on Monday. On account of the Christmas holiday falling on Monday practically all business houses, including this office will be closed.

TILE BRIGHTENS CITY HALL JUST AT HOLIDAY TIME

First legal steps to move into the new city hall, now under construction, were taken Tuesday evening at the meeting of the council, when an ordinance fixing the time and place of holding meetings in the new building was read for the first time.

A festive air is lent to the town by the placing of the tile on the roof of the splendid structure, and a wrought iron galleon which the city hall flaunts from its highest peak. Of creamy stucco, topped with brick-colored tile, the building is equal to any of its size in the southern part of the state, and has been constructed according to plans drawn by R. M. Finlayson, local architect.

The city officials hope to be settled in their new home by the first of the year.

Old Resident Of This City Dies at Home

Mrs. Sarah Collins Passes Away at Residence in Pasadena

The numerous friends in Sierra Madre of Mrs. Sarah Jane Collins, who resided at 269 East Laurel Avenue in this city for many years, were shocked to learn of her death Wednesday morning at her late residence, 1676 Rose Villa Avenue, Pasadena, after an illness of only six days. She was 73 years and ten months of age.

Mrs. Collins was married to William W. Collins, a school chum in Oconomowoc, Wisconsin, in 1875, and came to live in California in 1915. Besides Mr. Collins, she is survived by a son, Hallett Sumner Collins who resides in Aberdeen, South Dakota, and who is on his way to attend the funeral, and three grandchildren, Hallett Sumner Collins, Jr., and William L. Collins, sons of Hallett Sumner Collins, and Jane C. Luce, a daughter of Mrs. Collins' daughter, Madge Luce, who died a few years ago. The granddaughter is now touring in Europe.

Mrs. Collins was a member of the Los Angeles Friday Morning Club and while living in this city was a member of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club, of which at one time she was a member of the board of directors.

She was possessed of a charming personality and in her affections with those who came in contact with her was marked by her kindly spirit and benevolence which she bestowed freely in various ways during her residence in Sierra Madre.

Her wedded life was a shining example of true and long continued felicity, a subject on which she loved to dwell as an ideal accomplished through perfect sympathy and understanding.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the chapel of Turner & Stevens, Marengo and Holly Streets, Pasadena.

Children Present Exercises Friday Night In Church

Bethany Church children will be featured in a Christmas program this evening in the Temple at 7:30, when the annual exercises will be held. The numbers on the program will be as follows:

"Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," by the school; opening prayer, W. J. Ladd; Scripture recitation, superintendent and boy's classes; song, "Ring Bells of Christmas Time," three junior boys' classes; recitation, "His Glory Shall be Seen Upon Thee," Mrs. Rowland's class; song, "A Glad Welcome to Jesus," by junior department; recitation, "The Best Christmas Gift," by J. W. Calhoun's class; recitation, "Christmas Giving," Mrs. Ladd's class; song, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," junior department; address by pastor; recitation, Mrs. Rowland's class, with song by members of choir; song, "Joy to the World," congregation; duet, Paul Ladd and Mrs. Gordon Brooks; quartet, P. B. Ladd, Graeme Smith, Miss Lucille Ladd and Mrs. Gordon Brooks; closing prayer, by the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Scott and Mrs. Scott's son, Jack Ransom, will spend Christmas day in Gardena with Mrs. Scott's daughter, Mrs. E. L. Grigsby.

Busy Postmen Work to Keep Mail Moving

Christmas Rush Is On At the Sierra Madre Postoffice; Service Excellent

Postmaster Wright Asks Driveway and Parking Be Kept Clear

The Christmas rush is on at the post office and while the work is being handled under improved conditions of space and light in the new building, all the employees are kept busy. Postmaster Jessica Wright says that she very much appreciates the response to the "mail early" campaign on the part of many of the Sierra Madre people and that the wrapping and packing in almost all instances shows a big improvement over other years.

Until Thursday morning the outgoing mail far outbalanced the incoming, but now the packages for local delivery are coming in heavily and if the favorable weather continues so there are no train delays, the Christmas mail for this city should be pretty well delivered by Saturday night.

Owing to Christmas falling on Monday, with the holiday observed on Monday, there will be both letter and parcel post delivery Monday morning, to care for the late incoming mails. The post office window will be open from 9 a. m. to 11:00 a. m. on Monday to give out parcels to those presenting notices. No packages will be accepted for mailing that day and the windows will be opened for the purpose of giving out packages to the box holders and to those who were not at home Saturday when the parcel post delivery is made and for whom notices were left by the delivery men. Any outgoing packages not mailed by Saturday night will have to wait until Tuesday morning for mailing.

During these busy days there has been much trouble caused the mail messenger and the delivery trucks by people who parked their cars across or in the driveway at the north side of the post office, that the postmaster has found it necessary to appeal to the marshal to keep the drive clear. It is against the state law to park in a driveway or across it, but the postmaster states that numerous people seem to think that the explanation, "Oh, I only want to stop here a moment while I post a letter," lets them out. As several, when remonstrated with, became rather disagreeable, it was decided that the simplest way out was to assist law enforcement.

Therefore every employee of the post office has been instructed to take the number of any car found obstructing the roadway and report it to the chief of police. The offending driver can explain to the judge, states Mrs. Wright, why his or her business was so important that it justified holding up the mail for several hundred people.

Mrs. Wright states she doesn't wish to harm anyone, especially at the Christmas season and there is nothing personal in the action taken, but she advises against ignoring the traffic regulation involved. The business of the post office is to get the mails out as expeditiously as possible and the messengers, with fifty or eighty sacks of parcel-post loaded for the trains or delivery, cannot wait while some thoughtless citizen buys stamps or opens letters.

Several cars are being used to deliver the packages and everything in the office will be delivered before the carriers stop Saturday night. The mail received Monday morning will be sent out immediately and Sierra Madre folks can rest assured that the postal force will make every effort to see that their gifts reach them in time. This is the big time for the postal service and the local force has always taken pride in handling their big job with efficiency and speed and it is done with a very genuine spirit of goodwill on the part of all concerned, however tired they may be.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lunny, formerly of Venice, are occupying their new home "Green Bells," which they recently purchased from Mrs. Lulu Belle Taylor and her father, C. M. Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Lunny plan to live in the Canyon permanently.

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

By G. F. Rhinehart, in Covina Citizen
I stood upon the heights, in awe spell-bound,
The genial sun bedazzling in its glow,
Envisioning the landscape all around,
Snowclad above, with orange groves below;
While at my feet the canyons deep and grand
Bore rippling waters to this promised land.

I looked upon the desert, silent, grim,
The shimmering heat waves forming a barrage;
A picture that no artist brush can limn,
So blended with an indistinct mirage;
Here silence reigns in undisputed sway
And cooling nights succeed the sweltering day.

I saw the golden shore where laps the sea
Upon a coast resplendent, calm and bold;
I saw a mighty navy riding free,
The hell of war reposing in its hold;
While floating palaces with human freight
Arrived from Avalon and Golden Gate.

Upon the beach a thousand children play;
Within the pines a summer camp is curled;
For here I see, upon this sunlit day,
The favorite playground of a busy world,
Where, cares forgotten, man is free to roam
From Baldy to the Sea and call it home.

To this entrancing land we bid you come!
Come, share with us environment sublime!
Come where the soul expands! All speech is dumb!
In picturing this most supernal clime!
Such masterpiece of God but once was made;—
The die was broken then, or else mislaid.

THE REAL CHRISTMAS

WHEN you come right down to cases,
The spirit of Christmas is about the
only thing that makes this old world worth
living in. "What do I get out of it?" and
"When do I get mine?" are heard less com-
monly than at other times of the year. As
a welcome substitute we hear, "I wonder
what they would really like for Christ-
mas?" True, the perplexity of solving the
problem sometimes seems to smother the
spirit underneath, but the barter idea of
Christmas giving is not nearly so prevalent
as the cynics would have us think.

Christmas is the time when thoughts of
home and loved ones and of those less for-
tunate are brought to the fore as at no
other time. Surely any event or institu-
tion which produces that result is worth
while. Old Santa Claus himself puts a spirit
of play into hearts that have almost forgot-
ten how to play the rest of the year.

Above all else, childhood comes to the
fore. The memory of the Holy One who
came as a little child on the first Christmas
Eve and whose first concern throughout his
life was for children cannot be discarded at
Christmas time. And if the spirit of his
teachings is carried a little further into our
daily life through the rest of the year
Christmas becomes a lasting reality.

IT DOES PAY

AN important business deal which took
place in Sierra Madre recently was
placed as the direct result of acts of cour-
tesy and an evident desire to be of service
in matters outside of business. The very
fact that a business man was willing to
exert himself unselfishly where there was no
thought of compensation was the deciding
factor which brought him a substantial bit
of business. That sort of thing happens so
often that it is a wonder the value of altru-
ism does not become apparent to a lot of

people who never seem to think of it.
"Give to the world the best you have
And the best will come back to you."

CRIME UPON CRIME

WHEN a fiend like Hickman commits a
crime his victim suffers for awhile
and then it is all over with. But the crime
goes on and on, becoming more and more
terrible. Its extent cannot be measured nor
its depths of horror plumbed. No murderer
could possibly plan such a crime as has
been committed against humanity. The
Christmas season which should be a time
for light-hearted joy has become a time of
heavy-hearted sadness. Fear has taken the
place of trust and the spirit of good will has
had to compete with the desire for revenge.

Typical of the feelings of multitudes is
the expression of a superior court judge
who said to the writer, "All my professional
life I have been able to deal with things as
they came, in a spirit of dispassionate de-
tachment. For the first time in my experi-
ence I find myself literally craving the
opportunity to get my fingers about that
man's throat and do my part to give him
what he deserves."

ONLY SURPRISES LACKING

Dr. Henry Van Dyke, professor emeritus
of Princeton University, who recently reach-
ed his seventy-fifth milestone, confessed
that the anniversary induced a sober
thought but not solemn, nothing to worry
about, according to "Saturday Night." He
said: "At seventy-five a man can't expect
many more joyful surprises, but he can be
happy in an Indian summer kind of way.
His health has been spared and he has a
reasonable, religious and holy hope." He
can still enjoy books and music and good talk.
The morning air is sweet to him and the
evening shadows have no fear in them. He
can still hook and play and land a big sal-
mon or a basketful of trout, and a clean
pipe still tastes sweet to him." Admirers
of his poetry will regret to learn that the
gentle philosopher will write no more verse,
but is planning to continue his writing on
essays and prose.

JUST LIKE SIERRA MADRE (Puente Journal)

THE accident to one of our townsmen,
F. L. Noble, while walking on Glendora
Road, emphasizes the necessity of sidewalk
construction on that thoroughfare. Mr.
Noble is to be congratulated that he escaped
with his life. Automobile and pedestrian
use of the same street should never be tol-
erated, yet this condition exists on this
street. The same conditions prevail on
Nelson, leading to the high school.

Pupils of the grammar and high schools
are called upon to share the streets with
automobiles. Likewise those who walk to
either of the churches are in the same class.
It is fortunate that no fatal accidents have
happened on these streets, but some action
should be taken to see that sidewalks are
projected and built along these streets, espe-
cially along Glendora from Workman to
Temple.

AS ONE KANSAN TO ANOTHER

"THERE" is one candidate for president
who, if nominated, would not get my
wife's vote — Charlie Curtis of Kansas,"
writes Tobias Larson in the Claremont
Courier.

"Because her father was a civil war vet-
eran and took an interest in politics, Curtis
was often at her home and as a little girl
held her on his knee. So far so good.

"But that girl married the editor of the
local newspaper and he was not for Curtis,
who was seeking re-nomination for congress
in my district, and though he had made an
agreement at a previous nominating conven-
tion not to seek re-election. And so when
Curtis made a political speech in my home
town, he roasted me delightfully in his
speech. We were both there and while his
denunciation affected me as water does a
duck, it humiliated my wife to tears. And
she has never loved him since.

"Curtis is a shrewd, hard-working poli-
tician, but not presidential timber. He has
no idea of becoming the presidential nom-
inee, but he does hope that by some curious
turn in the convention of the wheel of for-
tune he will be named for the vice-pres-
idency."

FIRE FLAMES

After eating an enormous
amount of a tasty stew, prepared
by the "sweetest girl in the
world," I find it most difficult to
concentrate beyond the full stom-
ach, therefore take what you get
from this predicament. Also, due
to our winter weather, we have a
lovely wood fire going and any
of you fellows can appreciate my
efforts under these circumstances.

Being confined to the home a
great part of the time in the
evenings and at my labor thru the
day, I haven't got a thing on any-
body for this week. As I nose
about town in my very few spare
moments, about the only fellows
I ever see are Norris, Richards,
Keegan or "Mack." They appear
to be as "beefy" as ever but do
not possess any material for the
"Fire Flames." Probably if they
know who was writing it they
could give some light. Our secre-
tary, H. A. Thew, is seen occa-
sionally and Vernon Udell is
glimpsed as he rides by on his
trustworthy vehicle. But the rest
of the birds must stay near their
blue shirts and cap and badge (so
as to have them in case of fire.)

It's not because "Mack" is our
next host that I sympathize with
him, but do you ever stop to
think how near we were to being
denied this pleasure, when a cer-
tain six-shooter refused to func-
tion while pressed against his
torso? And to think that this
case was dropped. Pretty good
protection for our protectors, I'd
say! It's strange how the law acts
sometimes, isn't it? About the
same time as this, two fellows
were sent up for 60 or 90 days
for sticking to some bed clothing
from a rented room. Probably
they forecast this cold weather
we are now having. Oh! Well
they'll be warm in jail and the
taxpayers will support them, but
if they are good boys, they may
be out sooner—maybe.

Just the same we are glad that
Mack is with us, for I know the
"eats" will be good Friday night.
If they are not, I'll shoot him my-
self, and the gun won't jam,
either!

Have you been over to see the
new city hall? It looks pretty
nifty, but a lot of space taken up
by useless corners and traps.
That can't be helped though, as
the finances were limited. The
firemen's quarters are beginning
to shape into a fine place to hold
our meetings. The chute from the
room above to the engine room is
nearing completion and I'm won-
dering how the wives will appre-

ciate the worn-out trousers seats.
I know if an occasion arises for
"Shorty" Steinberger to indulge
in a slide, there's going to be a
tangle of legs that was never wit-
nessed on one of these new jazz
dolls. And have you noticed the
shower? That's fine—I may be
able to get a bath occasionally.
Our own bath room seems to be
a very good library. Some one
informs me that we are prohib-
ited the use of the roof over the
engine house. Why, to me that
seems absurd, not to be able to
use that wonderful roof for sum-
mer evening functions, etc.

Why couldn't that roof be so
prepared that it could be of some
use? Maybe it will; who knows?
I made one grand mistake in
my last attempt. That was when
I stated no meeting before the
tree act. Well, there is and its
Friday, December 23, the evening
of the issue of this paper. Be
sure and be there. This means
you and me and Roy Walsworth
and Wilkerson and Tom Schwartz.
We may go up to "der school
houze"—I don't know.

There are a few things that
happen at our meetings that are
almost regular; they are a wrest-
ling match by George Norris and
whoever will accept; a story by
Louie for whoever can stand it;
a proposition by the chief for
those who approve and an idea
by Lee Hibbs for those that will
listen. As a wrestler George is
a good groceryman; Louie's story
couldn't be told by anyone else;
Bill is a good propositioner, and
Hibbs ain't so bad, either.

Let's go a little easy, fellows,
when it comes to spending money.
Let's try and build up our fund
so we can meet an obligation
when we have to. There are some
in view. I can't see why we should
be expected to entirely furnish
our quarters in the city hall. We
give our time to this department
and if figures don't lie it doesn't
cost the people near as much as it
would to have one salaried fire-
man to be at the fire house at all
times. What little compensation
we acquire for our services is
well earned (in my personal esti-
mation) and as this is the means
of building up our fund I am
strictly against using one cent for
this mentioned purpose. I am
sure the people are back of us
and if we should endeavor to ob-
tain the money by other means,
we will get help.

Well, I'll see you at the "quar-
ters" this evening, after the
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Society and Personal

MacKay-Stonebreaker Wedding Solemnized—

Donald MacKay of Los Angeles and Miss Ruby Sue Stonebreaker of Oklahoma City, Okla., were married Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Bethany Church, Rev. Harry Rimmer officiating.

Mr. MacKay has just finished a four-year cruise with the U. S. navy and is now employed with a building and loan association in Los Angeles. Miss Stonebreaker arrived from her home in Oklahoma on December 15 and has been visiting Mrs. Dr. Guidinger of San Pedro.

Immediately after the wedding they took cottage No. 10 in Audubon Park, at the mouth of Sierra Madre Canyon, where they are spending their honeymoon. Mrs. Russell A. McKinley, a friend of the groom, a former resident of Sierra Madre, served a wedding supper in cottage No. 11.

The following persons made up the wedding party: Mrs. R. A. McKinley, Russell and Margaret McKinley, Miss Cora McIntyre, Eugene DeRemee, Mrs. Grace DeRemee and E. A. DeRemee of Long Beach; John Ziegler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sardy, Zella Marjory Ellis, Mrs. Franc Ellis, F. M. Ellis and Guy D. Forbes, Los Angeles; Ella Pratt, Hannah Erickson and M. E. Fischer of Alhambra.

New Church Society Is Organized—

Although they will carry on the work of the two societies, members of the Missionary Society and the Ladies' Aid Society have re-organized and are now under the one head, the Woman's Society of the Congregational Church. The merger was completed Tuesday at the meeting of the ladies, when by-laws were revised and officers were elected.

The new organization will meet on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, the first meeting in each month being a social one, while the last will be strictly for the transaction of business.

Officers elected Tuesday are: President, Mrs. E. E. Bacon; first vice president, Mrs. E. D. Burbank; second vice president, Mrs. Ralph Lord; third vice president, Mrs. S. H. Guilford; recording secretary, Mrs. Frank Merrill; corresponding secretary, Miss Elizabeth Scantlebury; treasurer, Mrs. Coners Twycross; custodian, Mrs. Greer Caskey.

There will be no meeting on Tuesday, January 3, as it follows too closely on the heels of New Year's Day, but there will be an executive session early in the month, and appointment of committee heads will be made.

Guests from the North Invited for Dinner—

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lieben, West Montecito, will be the scene of an informal gathering Sunday, when Mr. Felden and Miss Fleishman of Toppenish, Washington, will be guests. Mr. Felden and Miss Fleishman were friends of the Liebens in Washington, and are spending the winter in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts to Entertain Guests—

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Roberts will have as Christmas guests Mr. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts of Pasadena, Miss Anna Roberts of Los Angeles and Mrs. Bressler, also of Los Angeles. Dinner will be served Sunday afternoon.

Attends Meeting of Eastern Star—

Miss Eleanor Bayne, worthy matron of the local chapter of the Eastern Star, accompanied by Mrs. Edna Rowley, matron of the Pasadena chapter, attended installation of officers at Long Beach Wednesday. Five chapters of the beach city joined for the installation at the municipal auditorium.

Evans Clan to Gather Sunday—

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Evans will preside over the family Christmas dinner at their home Sunday. Places will be marked for Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evans and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Evans and families.

Small Dinner Party on Christmas Day—

One of the many informal family dinners on Sunday will be that at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert Boyard, who are entertaining Dr. Boyard's aunts, Miss Alice Tufts and Mrs. May Dranga, and Mrs. Dranga's son Eugene, who arrives tomorrow from San Diego to spend Christmas with his mother. Dr. and Mrs. Boyard's small son will make his first appearance at the family table Sunday.

Bacon Family to Gather for Dinner—

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bacon will preside at one of the nicest of the Christmas celebrations, when they will entertain a number of relatives at dinner Monday afternoon. Guests will be Mr. Bacon's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bacon, and his three sisters, the Misses Carrie, Laura and Bess Bacon of San Gabriel and Mr. Bacon's sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Myer, Sterret, Richard and Robert Myer, of Alhambra, and Miss Harriett Grant of Sierra Madre.

To Visit Brother on Christmas Day—

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Steinberger have received an invitation to spend Christmas Day with Mrs. Steinberger's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Win. Young in Los Angeles, and have made their plans to do so.

Steinberger Family Dinner Sunday—

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Steinberger will entertain nine members of their family at dinner Sunday.

Spend Holiday at Walnut Park—

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards will celebrate Christmas Monday at the home of Mrs. Edward's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Olsen at Walnut Park. The big turkey dinner will be in the afternoon.

Two Families Join for Christmas—

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corlett and son will join Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Burbank for Christmas dinner, the affair to be held at the Burbank home.

To Have Dinner With Family at Santa Ana—

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steinberger and small daughter will be dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Steinberger's mother, Mrs. A. J. Bower, and her grandfather, H. E. Francisco, Christmas Day. The Bower home is in Santa Ana.

Family Dinner for Christmas—

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Farman will preside over a family dinner

on Christmas Day, their guests being Mrs. Farman's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Elder of Mason City, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tyler and son George, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Farman and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Steinberger and daughter, Margaret Anne.

Mr. and Mrs. Elder arrived in Sierra Madre yesterday, making the trip from Iowa in time to spend Christmas with their relatives, and expect to remain in California through the winter.

Children's Party Delights 150—

With a visit from Santa Claus and gifts of candy and pop-corn-filled stockings, 150 children who attended the Women's Club party Wednesday afternoon were given a delightful entertainment. Not only did Santa Claus distribute the generously filled stockings among the kiddies, but just as they filed out of the door, after the program, they were presented with toy airplanes.

The annual Christmas party started at 3 o'clock, and the large and beautifully decorated tree was a delight to the small guests. Songs by the children led by Mrs. E. E. Bacon formed a part of the program. Moreland Kortkamp played for the singing. Games were also played, and Santa's visit took up a large and important part of the afternoon.

The tree was decorated by Mrs. William Kirshner, Mrs. King and Mrs. Phillip Senour had charge of the popcorn, and Mrs. Harvey Steinberger and Mrs. Gerald Farman filled the stockings. Mrs. Robert Steinberger was in general charge of the party.

Woman's Guild to Meet Thursday—

Mrs. Bradley Metcalf is entertaining the members of the Woman's Guild of the Church of the Ascension at her home, 135 East Laurel, Thursday afternoon, December 29, and has extended a cordial invitation to all members to be present. Those unable to attend are urged to notify her.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Entertain—

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hawks and Mrs. Hawks' sister, Miss Daisy E. Hawks of Santa Barbara will spend Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Wood. Miss Hawks arrived yesterday from Santa Barbara to visit at

the home of her niece, Mrs. Wood, until after the holidays. Christmas dinner will be Sunday evening.

Hear French Actress at Friday Club—

Mrs. Milton Steinberger, Mrs. Homer Glidden and Mrs. George Morgridge drove to Los Angeles Tuesday afternoon to attend the meeting of the drama section of the Friday Morning Club. They heard the program of readings given by the French actress who is taking Los Angeles by storm.

Spend Christmas in Santa Monica—

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Andrews and family will be Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clark, 1111 San Jacinto boulevard, Santa Monica. Mr. Clark has a fine organ in his studio, and it is expected that the guests will enjoy a concert in the afternoon.

Girl Reserves Attend Dinner—

A group of local Girl Reserves attended the Christmas dinner of the organization at the Y. W. C. A. in Pasadena Friday, Dec. 16. The table appointments and decorations in the girls' clubroom were suggestive of the holiday season.

as was the program, presented after dinner. Those attending from Sierra Madre were Marlene Murray, Josephine and Marguerite Lalone, Josephine Hare, Martha Sharp and Nancy Dickenson.

During this week the girls have been assisting Mrs. Barker in the sale of Christmas seals, and have a stand in the post office, where people who have not received the seals through the mail will have an opportunity to purchase them.

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Church News

Church of the Ascension

Rev. Henry B. Moore, Rector
Services for Christmas Eve (Saturday):
7 p. m.—Nativity Pageant.
11:30 p. m.—First Christmas Vespers.
12 p. m.—Midnight Mass.
Christmas Day (Sunday):
Three celebrations of the Holy Eucharist with music: 7:30, 9:30 (especially for the children) and 11 a. m.
6:30 p. m.—Young People's Fellowship.
7:30 p. m.—Evensong.
Daily Eucharist at 7:30 a. m. and Thursday at 10 a. m.

Congregational Church

Christmas Service at 10 o'clock. All the church departments will unite in one grand Christmas service. Adult choir, junior choir, primary chorus, orchestra numbers, Christmas story told by Dennis H. Stovall, Christmas sermon "His Name Immortal," by the Pastor. Notice the change of hour.

Christian Science

Corner Highland and Hermosa. Christian Science Society of Sierra Madre is a branch of the Mother Church, the first church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
11 a. m.—Sunday service, subject, December 25, "Christian Science."
8 p. m.—Wednesday, testimony meeting.
Reading room open Monday, Wednesday, Friday, from 2 to 5.

Bethany Temple

9:30—Sunday school assembly.
10:30—Program, Primary, Beginners and Cradle Roll Departments. Presentation of White Gifts. Sermon, William Duncan Ogg, Pastor. Subject, "Unspeakable Gift."
6:30—C. E. Meeting.
7:30—Cantata and Sermon, "Adoration."
"It takes a right mind and right learning," said Rev. Ogg, "to appreciate the 'Unspeakable Gift.'"
At the evening service, 7:30, the choir, under the direction of Prof. C. L. Custer, will present the cantata "The Adoration," by George B. Nevin.

The crude part of Teapot Dome isn't all underground.—Detroit News.

And now a worm has crashed into politics, according to a leading Ohio democrat. However, he refers to the corn-borer, not the tax-payer.—Chicago Daily News.

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NOTICE INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS FOR STREET WORK

Pursuant to the "Improvement Act of 1911" and all Acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof and to Resolution No. 351 of the City of Sierra Madre, adopted on the 13th day of December, 1927, directing the City Engineer of said City of Sierra Madre, hereby invites and will receive up to seven-thirty o'clock P. M. of Tuesday, December 27th, 1927, at his office in the City Hall of said City of Sierra Madre, sealed proposals or bids for the following described street work to be done according to General Specifications No. B-10 and Special Specifications therefor posted and on file, to-wit:

(a) That that portion of AUBURN AVENUE between a line drawn across said Auburn Avenue, distant 45 feet Southerly from and parallel with the Southerly line of that portion of Carter Avenue lying West of said Auburn Avenue, prolonged Easterly across said Auburn Avenue, and the most Northerly line of said Auburn Avenue, as said Auburn Avenue is described in the Deeds of Dedication thereof, for street purposes, recorded in Book 7039 Page 173, and Book 6774, Page 172; Official Records of Los Angeles County, State of California, including all intersections and terminations with intersecting streets and avenues, be improved by certain grading and regrading and by the construction of certain three (3) inch oiled macadam pavement, cement curbs, concrete gutters, and reinforced concrete culverts, including intakes, outlets, laterals and all appurtenances thereto, in the manner, to the extent and at the places shown on the Improvement Plans, Profiles and Cross-sections for said work, heretofore adopted and hereinafter referred to.

(b) That that portion of CARTER AVENUE, between a line distant 21 feet Easterly from and parallel with the Easterly line of Elm Street, prolonged Southerly across said Carter Avenue, and the Westerly line of said Carter Avenue, including all intersections and terminations with intersecting streets and avenues, be improved by certain grading and regrading, removal of certain oiled surface pavement, and by the construction of certain three (3) inch oiled macadam pavement, cement curbs, concrete gutters, a reinforced concrete culvert, including laterals, lateral intakes, and all

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All of the work aforesaid shall be done in accordance with and to the grade shown on Improvement Plans, Profiles and Cross-sections numbered 200, 252, 265, 266, 268 and 269, on file in the office of the City Engineer of the City of Sierra Madre, and in further accordance with General Specifications No. B-10, and Special Specifications for said work, on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City of Sierra Madre.

All Improvement Plans, Profiles and Cross-sections above mentioned were adopted by Resolution No. 348 of said City of Sierra Madre, and the same together with Resolution of Intention No. 349, being the Resolution of Intention for said work are hereby made a part of this Notice and are hereby referred to for full and detailed description of said proposed work or improvement and for the description of the grade to which the work is to be done and are hereby made a part hereof.

That said contemplated work or improvement in the opinion of the Board of Trustees, also known as the City Council, of said City of Sierra Madre, is of more than local or ordinary public benefit, and said Board of Trustees hereby declares that the district to be benefited by said work or improvement, and to be assessed to pay the costs and expenses thereof, is described in said Resolution of Intention No. 349 of said City of Sierra Madre, adopted by said City Council November 22nd, 1927, to which said Resolution reference is hereby made for

a description of said district. The said City Council also determines and declares, that serial bonds bearing interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum shall be issued to represent each assessment of Twenty-five (25) Dollars or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant. Said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine (9) years from the second day of January next succeeding the fifteenth (15) day of the next November following their date. Payments on the principal of unpaid assessments and interest shall be made by property owners to the City Treasurer and the same shall be disbursed by him, all as provided in the "Improvement Act of 1911," hereinafter referred to.

All of the proceedings for the aforesaid improvement and for the issuance of said bonds shall be had and taken under and in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, known and designated as the "Improvement Act of 1911," approved April 7, 1911, and under all Acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

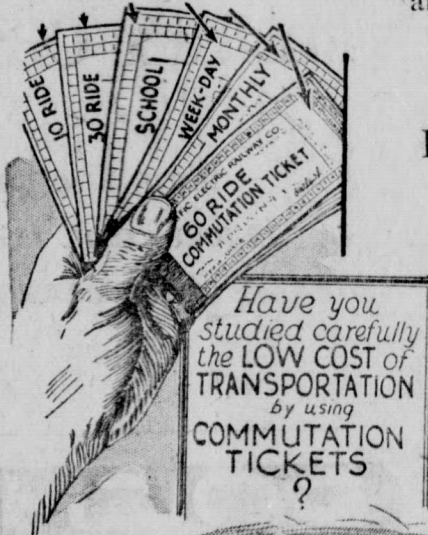
Bidders must file with each proposal or bid, a check payable to said City of Sierra Madre, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or a bond for said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount and over and above all statutory exemptions.

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Mexicans are spending four times as much on movies as on bull-fights. But, of course, there's much more bull in a movie than in a bull-fight.—Arkansas Gazette.

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Southern California is substantially richer than any other area of its size in the world. It has more income per person than the average for the United States. Its savings deposits for each person average more than twice as much as the average for the United States.

Southern California, for which the figures were made, includes the ten counties, San Luis Obispo, Kern, San Bernardino, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Diego and Imperial. The income for each person is, per year; Southern California, \$844; the United States, \$770.

The margin of \$74 dollars for each person gives a margin of approximately \$300 per family. The arbitrary figure of four is taken for the typical family size.

The difference of \$300 per family in income, over a period of years, finds expression in many material things. One thing that practically embraces all others is the savings deposits. The deposits for Los Angeles and the United States follow: Average per person for Los Angeles, \$436; average per person for the United States, \$211.

It will be noted that \$14 has to be added to twice the figure for the United States to bring the amount up to the Los Angeles average.

The items of income for Southern California and the amounts they provide in 1926 follow:

Manufacturing	\$520,000,000
Oil and Minerals	285,000,000
Agriculture	240,000,000
Dividends	125,000,000
Tourists	150,000,000
Transportation, public utilities, commerce and other income	700,000,000
Total	\$2,200,000,000

The population is 2,736,119. This gives the income for each person as \$844 and the income per family as \$3376. This, insofar as the records go, is a higher normal figure than has ever before been reached in any considerable area in history.

The foregoing data and analysis show that the relatively small population in Southern California is engaged in many diversified activities, and therefore this community has stability much greater than such areas of the United States as the cotton belt, the wheat belt and the corn belt, which have much larger populations, but which are dependent to a much greater extent than is California upon one major specialized activity.

One essential fact, vital to the placement of Southern California in the forefront of not only the entire United States but of the world in wealth, was pointed out by Edward J. Nolan, president of the Merchants National Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles. This fact relates to the items of interest, tourist and dividends.

The income from interest pay-

ments, tourists and dividends amounts to a total of \$475,000,000. A larger part of the income due to interest and dividends is derived from securities representing business outside of Southern California. There are many retired people here from other parts of the United States and Canada who are living upon incomes derived from their former locations. This condition is one of the greatest stabilizers of prosperity in Southern California.

Human Nature Clinics

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois

Doing as One Likes

"SOMETIME I'm going to be in a position to do as I like," Emerson said to me. Emerson was young and impulsive, and in this instance he was being forced to change his plans in order to accommodate some one else. He didn't like it, and he was looking forward to the time when he should be his own boss and be able to direct his own affairs.

I wonder if there is such a situation for any one? Mother was the director of our house during our childhood. Father went to her when he wanted money, which she always kept in a little walnut box in the left-hand corner of the upper bureau drawer; he asked her advice about everything and took it. We children knew that her word was law, that her consent meant freedom, that when she said she would have a thing done, that ended it.

And yet I wonder now as I look back upon it. If mother ever did as she liked. She must have worked on often when she would have liked to rest; she stayed at home, to allow us to go; she gave us comforts and pleasures and privileges in order that ours might be increased. It seemed to me that she could do anything she wanted to do, and yet as long as she lived she seemed to be doing what someone else liked, rather than following her own desires.

I believe it is commonly so. I had planned a quiet, pleasant day last Sunday. I was tired; I was not going to church; I was not going to see anyone. I was going to loaf, to lie and read an interesting book with the light coming over my left shoulder, and if I should drop off to sleep, why not?

The telephone rang. It was Bayer's father speaking. He was a busy man, he explained. He hated to disturb me, but he wanted to talk to me about the boy. He must take the first train back. Would I see him? What else could I do? The morning was gone before he left. I had done no reading.

The doctor called me at lunch time to say that Church was to be operated on at the hospital at two and wanted very much to see me; would I come over? Of course.

It was midnight when I at last crawled into bed. "No one can ever do as he pleases," I growled, "at least until he dies, and then I suppose he'll have little to say about what happens."

It's entirely proper to give our murderers plenty of rope, provided the rope is properly applied. —Arkansas Gazette.

PRESS COMMENT

Problem is to make money first and then to make it last.—Wall Street Journal.

If the Literary Digest has any asbestos cards, it might try a Presidential straw vote in Dixie. —Jackson (Mo.) Clarion.

You can't fool all the people all of the time, but the average politician is contented with a sizeable majority. —Detroit News.

In telling her age a woman is often shy—in more ways than one.—Wall Street Journal.

The man who frequents the blind pig never brings home the bacon. —Detroit News.

Forgive and forget sounds well, but most folks are more for getting than for giving.—Wall Street Journal.

It is true that majorities are often wrong, but the same may be said of minorities.—Boston Shoe and Leather Reporter.

In our opinion the alleged uneasiness in Europe is largely due to too much rattling of the olive branch.—Punch.

Mexico would be all right if its government could execute the laws as effectively as it does the revolutionists.—Virginian.

Some families go right on spending money for beefsteak and flour when they haven't a fur coat on the premises.—North Adams (Mass.) Herald.

"There will be no bolt in 1928" says a western republican of insurgent tendencies. It is always a consoling thought that there are fewer bolts at any convention than nuts.—Detroit News.

It's easy to believe my American boy may become President when you observe some of those who have.—Publishers Syndicate.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE

No. 22947
In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles.

ROSE MOORE, Plaintiff.
vs.
FRED G. HERRINGTON, et al., Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, on the 19th day of December, 1927, in the above entitled action, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against FRED G. HERRINGTON, and FLORENCE M. HERRINGTON, Defendants, on the 15th day of December, 1927, for the sum of

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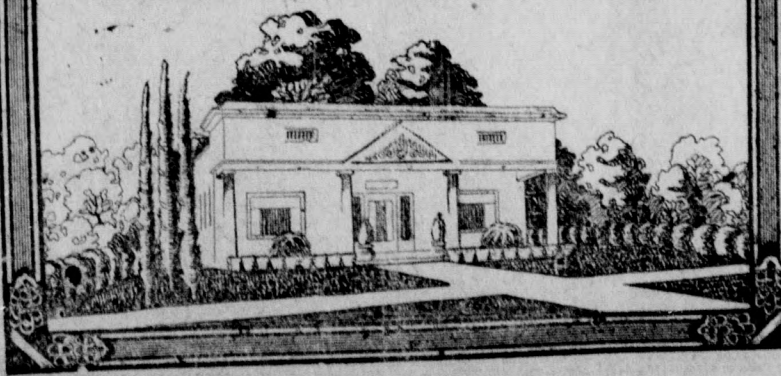
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Interesting News Notes from
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The steam shovel, owned by the Callahan Construction Co. returned to the canyon on Thursday after an absence of two weeks and is again at work filling in property back of walls which are being rapidly constructed along the stream channel. This improvement has reached a point as far north as the Griswold grounds and lot owners who have already benefited from the project express themselves as being highly pleased with the work. All workmen are efficient, courteous and careful in an effort to protect private property and completed walls are adequate and very attractive.

E. E. Burke has recently purchased the Little Gray Inn on Sturtevant Trail from E. B. Gray, proprietor of the Trail Store. Mr. Burke plans to be open every day to visitors and hikers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gray, Ernestine and Robert Gray will spend Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Gray's daughter, Mrs. R. Buchanan in Huntington Park.

Mrs. Nettie J. Forrest has returned to the canyon after a week's stay in Long Beach. She will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ella A. Cadmus during the holiday season.

Miss Martha Reynolds left the canyon on Thursday to spend the holiday season with her sister and niece Mrs. Elizabeth Stratman and Mrs. Anna Madden at Hermosa Beach. Miss Reynolds plans to

remain until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Morris will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hall of Fifth Avenue, Los Angeles on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Patterson had as their guests at four o'clock tea on Tuesday, Professor and Mrs. Brice and daughter, Miss Rose, of Wooster College, Wooster, Ohio. Mrs. Michener of Altadena, another daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brice, was also a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Patterson also entertained with a holiday dinner on Wednesday night at their home on Alta Vista Drive. Table decorations were in the Santa Claus motif and the house was artistic with festoons of red and green. Besides the host and hostess those present were Miss Edna Gould, C. A. Mundy, Dr. and Mrs. J. Scott Brown, Alberta and Janet Brown, Quentin, Graham and Betty Patterson.

Mrs. E. M. John of 1024 East Second Street, Long Beach, will be hostesses to a party of twenty of her friends at a Christmas celebration. The party will occupy the Fairview Apartments which they have rented from Mrs. Alma Haas for the occasion and will remain from Friday until Monday.

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